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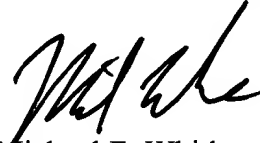
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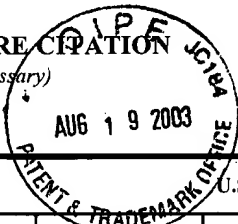
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1	Software by Andrew titled "RF Planner" dated 6-17-97
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